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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to: respond to the Final Official Action mailed December 16, 2003.

a third month to June 16, 2004 ☐ \$265.00 ☒ \$530.00A ☐ one ☒ two ☐ three ☐ four month Petition for Extension of Time was previously filed with the appropriate fee on May 17, 2004.☐ An extension fee in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.☐ The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated \_\_\_\_\_.☒ Charge \$ 530.00 to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.☐ Charge \_\_\_\_\_ to credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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